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SUBJECT: RELOCATION OF INTOURIST OFFICES

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1. AMEXCO REP HANSEN-STURM ADVISED DEPARTMENT, FEB 9, THAT SOVIETS HAVE OFFERED AMEXCO GROUND FLOOR OFFICE IN MOSCOW. FACILITIES ARE REPORTEDLY SPACIOUS, WITH LARGE WINDOWS. THEY ARE, HOWEVER, SOMEWHAT OFF THE BEATEN TOURIST PATH (WE UNDERSTAND NOT FAR FROM US EMBASSY) AND WILL REQUIRE EXTENSIVE REMODELING. DATE OF AVAILABILITY AND PRICE ARE AS YET UNKNOWN. AMEXCO PLANS TO SEND REAL ESTATE AGENT TO ASSESS PROPERTY NEXT WEEK. EVEN IF OFFICE IS ACCEPTABLE, AMEXCO WILL PRESS FOR "PUBLIC VISIBILITY" OBJECTIVES CONTAINED IN FALL-BACK POSITION, ESPECIALLY
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AMEXCO SIGNS IN INTOURIST HOTELS AND FACILITIES.

2. DEPARTMENT WILL CONTINUE TO WITHHOLD PERMISSION FOR INTOURIST TO RELOCATE ITS NEW YORK OFFICES PENDING AMEXCO ASSESSMENT OF MOSCOW PREMISES AND RELEVANT NEGOTIATIONS. VANCE

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